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Applicant: ALLEGRETTI, Marcello et al. Conf.: #3
Appl. No.: 09/830,449 Group: Unassigned
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For: A Process for the Preparation of Alpha Arylalkanoic Acids



PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

October 15, 2001

Sir:

1. This petition is to declare that the non-signing inventor cannot be reached or located, notwithstanding diligent effort, or refuses to sign the oath or declaration after having been presented with the application papers (specification, claims, drawings and declaration).
2. Attached hereto as an acceptable oath or declaration in compliance with 35 U.S.C. §§ 115 and 116.
3. Fee Payment (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i))

A check in the amount of \$130.00 is enclosed.
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4. Statement of non-signing inventor's last known address:

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If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

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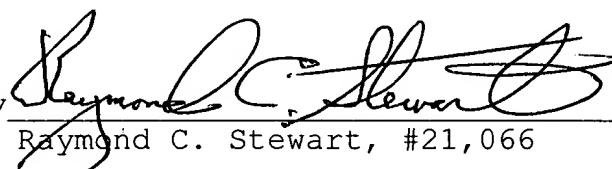
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